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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.
 A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(I) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 65.

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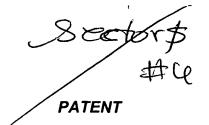
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In re application of: Giaquinta et al.

Application No.: 09/975,707 Filed: October 11, 2001

Group No.: 1741
Examiner: Unknown

For: SYNTHESIS AND CHARACTERIZATION OF MATERIALS FOR

ELECTROCHEMICAL CELLS

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COMPLETION OF FILING REQUIREMENTS -- NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

I. This replies to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application (PTO-1533) mailed November 13, 2001.

A copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application--Filing Date Granted (Form PTO-1533) is enclosed.

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II. No declaration or oath was filed. Enclosed is the original declaration or oath for this application.

SMALL ENTITY STATUS

III. Applicant is a small entity.

COMPLETION FEES

IV.

Surcharge Fees
 Late payment of filing fee
 and/or late filing of original
 declaration or oath

(37 C.F.R. Section 1.16(e))

\$65.00

2. Assignment (See "ASSIGNMENT COVER SHEET")

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Total Completion Fees

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EXTENSION OF TIME

V. The proceedings herein are for a patent application, and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. Section 1.136(a) apply.

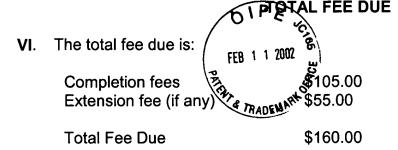
Applicant petitions for an extension of time, the small entity fee for which is set out in 37 C.F.R. Section 1.17(a)(1), for one month.

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37 C.F.R. Section 1.17(a)(1)-(5) (extension fees pursuant to Section 1.136(a))

37 C.F.R. Section 1.17 (application processing fees)

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